

THE DAILY EXAMINER. JULY 11, 1881.

The Temperance Revolution.

On the first of August next, the Scott Act will be in force throughout this Island; and whether we like it or like it not, the application of the Scott Act involves a revolution of the drinking system.

It is well that all citizens should know and appreciate this fact; for when it is known, the duty which will devolve upon all will be clear and easy.

Moreover, persons who, by drinking, may encourage a liquor dealer to sell contrary to the law, and persons who may know that the law has been violated and do not give information in order to the punishment of the offender, will become accomplices in the offence.

If this fact be kept in view, Charlottetown will not be under the reproach in which Summerside and Souris and some other localities now live.

A False Charge Repudiated.

THE EXAMINER has been accused of sneering at Mr. Blake. The charge is not true. Though we have no confidence in the Party of which Mr. Blake is leader, we have too much respect for his legal ability and his nice literary taste, to try to sneer at him.

MR. FARQUHARSON'S STATEMENT.

"The aggregate amount which we have paid to Canada over and above what we have received from Canada during the past six years was not less than \$2,296,436.23!"

MR. BLAKE'S STATEMENT.

"FOR PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND THE RECEIPTS WERE \$1,596,000, THE EXPENDITURE \$2,624,000, -the deficit (that is the loss to Canada) \$1,027,000."

City Taxes.

It is pleasing to learn that the City taxes are being generally paid. If this be done and economy be practised by the Corporation, the City will, in a few years, be rid of the burden of paying \$6,000 or \$7,000 a year as interest on a largely over-drawn bank account.

P. E. ISLAND.

AS SEEN BY AN ENGLISH FARMER.

MR. SPARROW, in his Report, says of his visit to this Province:-

"At length we arrived at Moncton, in New Brunswick, and after staying there we went on to Shediac, where we embarked on board a steamer for Prince Edward Island, distant about forty miles.

The next morning we drove to Mr. Laird's farm, one of the largest on the Island. It contains about 400 acres well cultivated. He stated that his wheat crop was not so good as last year, but averaged forty-five bushels per acre; oats grow exceedingly well on the Island, and often weigh 44 lbs. and over to the bushel.

"We left Summerside for Charlottetown, the principal town in the Island. Its population is 12,000. I suppose there are not many places without a disadvantage, and this will apply to Prince Edward Island. If a month were taken off the winter season and placed on the summer, it would, I think, be one of the finest places in the continent of America.

"While in Charlottetown an agricultural show was taking place; and some of the cattle were very good, but others were hardly fit for public exhibition. Sheep evidently do well in the Island, and some fine specimens were shown. It is noted for horses, and some fine animals were in view. The climate seems to be a healthy one, judging by the appearance of the people whom I met.

"Prince Edward Island is the nearest land to England. The rivers and the coast abound with fish, and there are plenty of wild-fowl; shell-fish also abound, and are sold at very low rates. The soil throughout the Island seemed to be of one kind—a red, sandy loam—and the country resembles England more than any other part of Canada I visited.

"There is in England a popular tradition that a comet year is a good year for crops. The legend may be delusive, but everybody must hope that nothing will occur to discredit it in this country.

Hon. Neal Dow and A. M. Powell in Y. M. C. A.

SUMMARY REPORT.

HON. D. FERGUSON presided on Saturday evening, and, in a few words, introduced the speakers.

We have seen, said Hon. Neal Dow, no better country than yours; and we feel sure there need be no better one to live in if it were not for your liquor traffic. You have

ALL THE CONDITIONS.

for growing rich—not rapidly but slowly and surely—if you will but save. To be rich, of course, is not the greatest good to be sought after; but riches and these greater blessings are to be had only by ceasing to go to the rum-shops. Put the rum-shops down; then you will begin to save; then you will have money to invest in the promotion of other industries which will build up your country.

ALL BAD.

If a pickpocket rob you of your purse or your watch, he leaves you personally as you were before; but the rumseller takes the money, and gives you in return poverty, insanity and crime. The rum shop is a factory. Suppose you put up here a great cotton mill, such as you will some day, you can watch the stages through which the raw material goes until it becomes the finished fabric. In the same way you can watch the progress made by the liquor factory. Its raw materials are good citizens. For the finished article, look to the slums and gutters, the poorhouses, asylums, jails, and gallows. The liquor traffic takes hold of good citizens, and changes them into the most miserable of beings. The liquor traffic is, in fact, the gigantic crime of crimes. And the wonder is that good citizens—Christians—are not alive to it. In Young's 'Night's Thoughts' it is said that a single human soul, with its eternity, is equal in value to all the stars in the universe.

EDUCATED CHRISTIANS.

believe this; they know also that the use of liquor causes the utter ruin of human souls. Yet (strange, is it not?) the educated classes are slow to discontinue the liquor traffic. To the working classes is due the Total Abstinence movement and all other great moral reforms; but many of the most learned men in the Mother Country, and here, are now heart and soul with the work. You never heard of harm coming to people for being total abstinents; but you have heard of harm coming to hundreds and thousands because they were drunkards; and

DRUNKARDS COME FROM MODERATE DRINKING. Now, we are trying to

CLOSE THE DOOR.

of moderate drinking, through which all the drunkards come—through which the poverty, misery, moral ruin and death caused by drunkenness all come. But Dr. Crosby and many other good Christian men (who uphold moderate drinking) are trying to keep it open. Why? Because, if it be closed, they and such as they, will be unable, when they want it, to get anything to drink. That is the only reason they can give; and it is utterly inconsistent with the principles of a true Christian. Cardinal Manning, Canon Farrar, and many others of the wisest and best men in the world are beginning now to see this; and are assisting, with all their might, to close the door of moderate drinking. To help the friends of Temperance in Prince Edward Island to shut this door, we are now here.

MR. POWELL said he had crossed the Continent and the Ocean; and Prince Edward Island was certainly one of the most beautiful districts he had ever anywhere visited. He thought the people most fortunate in their residence here; and one thing on which they are especially to be congratulated is the fact that they stand on the vantage ground with regard to the liquor traffic. In the Scott Act they have a weapon which, if they will, they can use with effect in putting down drinking. He hoped the Scott Act would soon be supplemented with a clause prohibiting throughout Canada the manufacture as well as the sale of spirituous liquors. He argued

that alcohol is, practically, of no real use whatever; and in support of this opinion quoted the words of Dr. Richardson, endorsed by about two hundred of the ablest scientific men at present in the world.

The addresses were listened to with marked attention and frequently applauded. It was announced that they are only preliminary to more important addresses to be delivered this evening. Mr. Dow said he purposed this evening to give an account of the working of the Maine Liquor Law.

Clippings from Late Papers.

The present prospects of the crops in the southern provinces of Russia betoken an unprecedentedly abundant harvest.

No confirmation of the reported drowning of Albert Victor, eldest son of the Prince of Wales, has been received, and it is believed the report was unfounded.

The population of London, according to the last census, is given as 3,814,571, which is an increase of about half a million since the previous census.

A Paris despatch says: Intense heat prevails throughout Europe. In Paris recently it was 93 degrees in the shade. There was great electrical disturbance and rain in London on the 6th inst.

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A writer in the 'British Medical Journal' asserts that in the last thirty years there has been a gradual diminution in the size of people's heads. The change was first observed by the hat manufacturers, who have reduced the average hat two sizes during that time. Cause not stated.

Charles Bradlaugh is in a funny fix. His enemies, not content with endeavoring to get him fined for sitting and voting in the House when not sworn as a member, have now discovered that by an unrepented statute of Richard II. he is liable to fine and imprisonment for not having taken part in the deliberations of the House after having been duly elected. He would, indeed, be between two fires if there was any serious intention to invoke the law.

On Tuesday evening last a boy about six years of age, named Morrison, was missed from his home at Sydney, C. B., and as he was known to have been playing around the wharves search was made for him. During the search a young man named Beaton, 22 years of age, who had that evening arrived in Sydney from Leitch's Creek, fell off the Sydney and Louisburg Pier and was drowned. The body of the boy Morrison was subsequently found in the water, life being quite extinct.

Suicide in Berlin is showing signs of increase, and investigations into the cause of it are on foot. On a single recent Saturday there were four cases, and statistics for the three years between 1875 and 1878 place the city far ahead of London in the number of suicides. There are 85 suicides to each million of inhabitants in London during these years, and 255 in Vienna. For Berlin, the proportion was 280 per million. Leipzig shows the most alarming rate, it being greater even than the rate of Paris, 450 per million of inhabitants, against 400 for Paris.

A MODEL CATTLE-CARRYING STEAMSHIP.—The British steamship 'Surrey,' of 3,000 tons register, which has only just been finished in England, and which is said to be the best cattle-carrying vessel afloat, arrived here yesterday, and will go from here to Boston, to be run regularly between that port and London. She is consigned to the Seager Bros., and brought from West Hartlepool, 2,500 tons of steel blooms. Being specially designed for the Boston cattle trade, she has three 'between decks,' which are fitted up with moveable stalls, which have all the latest accommodations, including manger, water trough, etc., for the safe transportation of cattle. Most of the cattle-carrying steamers have only the rudest accommodations for the beasts, and it does not seem strange that the animals die off on the voyage.—Baltimore American.

In one of the schools situated in the western part of Ontario, a little girl, who was said by her parents and friends to have an angelic temper, was punished for some misconduct by her school mistress, who had, at the time in question, failed to discover the angelic temperament so warmly guaranteed. The punishment consisted of three strokes with a common beech rod. For this punishment the teacher was summoned before a J. P. and fined. Feeling that this was somewhat unjust, she appealed. The appeal was allowed by the Court of Quarter Sessions. The evidence fully exonerated her and vindicated her course. The judge, in charging the jury, spoke very strongly on the undesirableness of giving children the idea that on no account should they be whipped. He thought that it would be the source of great harm to the children themselves, and of incalculable injury to future generations, if immunity from corporal punishment on the part of school pupils grew to be a recognized rule. The jury, without leaving their seats, returned a verdict quashing the conviction against the teacher, with costs.

We learn (the *Lancet* says) that the Queen has been graciously pleased to confer the decoration of the 'Albert Medal' of the first class (for gallantry in saving life) upon David Lawson, M. D., of Huddersfield, under the following circumstances:—On the 12th November, 1880, Dr. Lawson was called to attend the child of Police Constable Higgibottom, of Huddersfield, who was suffering from laryngeal diphtheria. He performed the operation of tracheotomy, but suffocative attacks supervened, and on visiting the child next morning he found it in a livid state, and breathing only with great difficulty. Seeing that the only chance of saving the child's life lay in sucking the tube clear, he at once, at imminent risk to himself, applied his lips to the tube and sucked out the accumulated mucus, thereby affording immediate relief to the patient. Throughout the day he continued by means of a pipette to suck out the mucus from the trachea. Notwithstanding his heroic efforts the child unfortunately died on the third day after the operation. Dr. Lawson's heroism was rewarded by a severe attack of diphtheria, with which he was seized in the course of a few days. Other dangerous illness supervened, compelling him eventually to abandon his profession and retire from a lucrative partnership. We are much gratified at being able to give our readers particulars of an act on the part of Her Majesty which will be deeply appreciated by the medical profession.

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions or statements of our correspondents.

Licence Inspectors.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

SIR,—Can you inform your numerous readers what has become of the Licence Inspectors? In Queen's County, it is well known that liquor is being sold at Vernon River, Orwell, and Mount Stewart, in open contempt and defiance of the law, just as if no Inspectors had been appointed.

Can it be true, as some boldly assert, that the Government were not sincere in appointing those Inspectors; that the Government, while wishing to please the deputation of clergymen and others who waited on them last spring, when it was agreed to make this appointment, are also so desirous to keep on the right side of their rum-selling friends that they have instructed their paid officials that they are to do nothing. While I wish to believe better things of the members of the Government yet it is evident that there is something wrong somewhere. Let me ask what our Inspectors are doing for the \$200 they are each to receive out of the Treasury? So far as I can see, simply nothing, although there is plenty of work for them. The Government should see to this most important matter at once, if they don't wish to lose their temperance supporters. Let them see that the present Inspectors do their duty, or that others be appointed in their place, or if nothing is to be done let their office be abolished and their salary saved to this Province.

While thus blaming, I still subscribe myself A SUPPORTER OF THE GOVERNMENT. July 7th, 1881.

A MILCH COW, 4 years old, for sale cheap for cash.—R. K. BLAKE. July 11

The case of John Knight and another, executors of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., is still before the Supreme Court.

A TON of paper pulp made from saw dust is to be sent to England from Welland, Ont., in order to test its value. It will be tried at an English factory, and the paper produced will be sold as an experiment. If it can be successfully utilized in the manufacture of paper, several city capitalists will at once start a factory at Ottawa.

ENGLISH opposition to the proposed French treaty is increasing, as the *Liverpool Courier* points out. The Sheffield Chamber of Commerce has now joined the agitation, and in sending their president to give evidence before the joint commission they have instructed him to say it is desirable that any future treaty of commerce with France which recognized the high tariffs imposed by that country should contain a clause permitting either country to withdraw from it on giving twelve months' notice. Ten thousand Sheffield workmen have signed a petition to a similar effect.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, July 11—10 a. m.

Moderate winds, fair weather, with light showers at some localities, stationary or slightly lower temperature.

SHIP NEWS.

Montreal, 3rd, arrived barque Ralph B. Peake, from Sydney; 5th arrived barque Moselle, Gould, Porto Rico. Philadelphia, 4th, arrived Edith Carmichael, from Dunkirk. Liverpool, 4th, arrived James Duncan, from Galveston; 18th ult., cleared Florence, for Charlottetown. Shoreham, 22nd ult., arrived Servian and Brenda from P. E. I. Port Mulgrave, 8th, arrived schooner J. H. Hiltz, from Chester for P. E. I. Crookhaven, 22nd, arrived Hildred, McLeod, from Charlottetown. St. John's, P. R., 13th ult., Florence, Dalton, from Souris, and 18th, sailed for Aquadilla. Liverpool, 3rd, arrived brig. Dot, Grady, Cascumpee.

DIED.

Fell asleep in Jesus, on June 6th, at Village Green, Lot 49, Sarah Ann, eldest daughter of James E., and Sarah Sauter.

AUCTION!

Tea, Sugar, Molasses, &c., To Close Consignments.

THE subscriber will sell at Auction, on THURSDAY, the 14th inst., at eleven o'clock, at his Warehouses, 52 Queen Street, the following Goods, &c.:

- 10 half-chests Tea, 5 puns. Molasses, 150 boxes Digby Herring, 10 boxes Soap (asst.), 10 boxes Starch, 20 cases Brandy, 1 hhd. Porto Rico Sugar, 1 barrel Dried Apples, 25 barrels Labrador Herring, 20 Mackerel Barrels (Ash Hoop), 20 crates Boranada Onions, 1 set Carriage Harness (new), 1 Jigger, 1 Iron Safe, 1 Wagon, 1 set Fanners, a lot of Picture Frames, and a variety of articles which will appear on day of sale.

B. WILSON HIGGS, Auctioneer. July 11, '81—pat

FOR CHARTER! FOR CHARTER!

The Brig. "Lottie Bell," Due here about the 18th inst., from Gloucester, G. B.

Will Accept Charter for Liverpool, London, or West Indies.

Apply to LONGWORTH & CO. Charlottetown, July 11—2w 2w

THE place to get your Printing done is at the EXAMINER PRINTING ROOMS.

Anthracite Chestnut Coal.

200 TONS NOW LANDING at Queen's Wharf. Warranted to be the best quality. Will be sold while landing at \$5.90 per ton.

HORACE HASZARD.

July 11—1w pat

Wagons to Hire.

1 COVERED MAIL VAN—will seat eight persons. Can be hired cheap. 1 COVERED CAB—Seat six persons. Buggies and Single Wagons by the day or week. Apply to

H. COOMBS.

July 9—no 31

Bran and Shorts.

JUST RECEIVED. FOR SALE BY HORACE HASZARD. July 5, 18 1.

VALUABLE Building Lot!

DORCHESTER STREET.

I WILL sell by private bargain, until THURSDAY, the 25th inst., that Valuable Building Lot on the South side of Dorchester Street, adjoining the "Waterford House," being part of Town Lot No. 44, in the first Hundred, measuring twenty-five feet on Dorchester st., and extending back eighty feet; together with a right of way six feet wide on the eastern boundary line, the full depth of the lot.

If not sold by private sale before the 28th inst., the lot will be disposed of at Public Auction on the premises, on Thursday, 28th inst., at 12 o'clock.

Full particulars to be had from Messrs. Reddin & McDonald, or from the subscriber. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. July 8, '81.

BUCKETS.

ANOTHER CAR LOAD TO-DAY,—4,200 BUCKETS, CHEAP.

CARVILL BROS.

Ch'town, July 8—21 pat

Sons of Temperance.

THE GRAND DIVISION of this Province will meet in Quarterly Session at St. Catherine's (South Side of Elliot River), on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of July, inst., commencing at half-past eleven o'clock, forenoon.

Division Deputies will please send a list of the names of all representatives of their respective Divisions who mean to avail themselves of the P. E. Island Railway on this occasion, on or before the 16th inst. On receipt thereof, the necessary Certificates will be forwarded, entitling the bearers thereof to a return ticket at a single fare.

J. BARRETT COOPER.

Ch'town, July 8, '81—wkly 21, pat

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will not pay or be held responsible for a note of hand for \$25 signed by me in favor of James Crabbe, Lot 67, which will be due about the last November next (1881), or for a note of hand for \$15, signed by me in favor of James Crabbe, Lot 67, which will be due about the last of November, 1882, as I have received no value therefor.

JOHN SHEWALL.

July 8, '81—21, wkly 11

NO. 61 QUEEN STREET.

I am Now Showing

Men's and Boys' Furnishings,

Comprising the following, viz: Gents' White and Colored Shirts, "Ties, Braces, Hosiery, Collars, Cuffs, "Summer Underclothing, &c., &c., "Hats and Caps, Boys' White and Colored Shirts, "Hats and Caps, &c., &c.,

Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, selling at a discount.

C. I. MORISON.

Next Door to P. G. Fraser's Drug Store. 1831.

C. Fitz-Henry Campbell, M. D.,

Physician and Surgeon, OFFICE & RESIDENCE—At Mr. Houle's, corner of Prince and Richmond Streets, Charlottetown. July 4

TEA PARTY!

CAMPBELL'S COVE, EAST POINT,

WILL TAKE PLACE ON

Wednesday, the 27th of July,

to which the public are kindly invited.

The proceeds are intended to repair St. Columba's Church. A pleasant time may be expected.

A Saloon on Temperance principles will be provided. Tickets 25 cents each, to be had at the entrance. P. MCINTYRE, Sec'y. Fairfield, East Point, July 7, '81—no

THE place to get your Printing done is at the EXAMINER PRINTING ROOMS.

DESIRABLE

CITY RESIDENCE

I WILL sell at AUCTION, on the premises, on Wednesday, 13th inst., at 12 o'clock,—

That very desirable private residence on the corner of Pownall and Kent streets, opposite Richmond Square, at present occupied by Mr. John Corbett.

The ground measures 45x65 feet. The Dwelling House contains nine rooms and a basement, with dining room, kitchen, closets, and other conveniences throughout. Force pump in basement kitchen.

This desirable residence is elegantly situated in a good locality, fronting on a square, and contiguous to Churches, Post Office, Banks, etc., etc.

Part of the purchase money may remain on mortgage. Premises can be viewed any time previous to sale.

Possession given 1st of August. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. July 2, '81—no 31

TENDERS

For Plastering and Finishing Saint Patrick's Church, Fort Augustus.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of JULY, from parties willing to enter into a contract for the Lathing, Plastering and Finishing the inside of St. Patrick's Church, according to plans and specification to be seen with Rev. A. J. MacDonald, P. P., Fort Augustus.

The names of two good and sufficient securities who are willing to become responsible for the faithful completion of the contract must accompany each tender.

LUCIUS O. KELLY, Sec'y of Com. Fort Augustus, July 8, '81—wkly

Academy of Music.

ENGAGEMENT

Fifth Avenue Theatre Co

W. H. Lytell, - Manager.

THE above excellent organization, of New York City, have been playing to large and enthusiastic audiences in Halifax, where they are receiving the highest praise from the press of that city. Will open here for a short season of

FIVE NIGHTS ONLY!

Thursday Evening, 14th July,

Great Union Square Theatre Success,

The Banker's Daughter,

and presenting during the engagement, THE GUV'NOR, HAZEL KIRKE,

OUR BOARDING HOUSE, THE BIG BONANZA.

NO PLAY REPEATED.

PRICES—Reserved seats 75 cents. Admission 50 and 25 cents.

Seats reserved at Dodd's Medical Hall Queen Street. [Jy 6

SIGN OF THE

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Balance of our Large Stock

BOOTS AND SHOES

AT A SACRIFICE!

The Stock must be cleared out.

E. W. SMITH. Charlottetown, July 5, '81—41 wkly

Wool. Wool. Wool.

WANTED by C. F. STACKPOOL, at the Spring Park Wool Shop. June 27, '81.

LIME JUICE.

MONTERRAT LIME FRUIT JUICE (Imported in original Packages.) On Draught and Bottled at

APOTHECARIES HALL, DesBrisay's Corner. June 14—1m

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

LOST—A young Canary Bird—yellow, with black spot on head. Finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the residence of Dr. BERR. [Jy 12]

FOR SALE—A COTTAGE situated on the corner of Euston and Pleasant streets containing 6 rooms, also stable and coach-house. Apply to NICHOLAS MURPHY, Richmond Street. [Jy 8 31, fr tu fr pd

WANTED—A good competent girl for general housework. Must come well recommended. Highest wages given. Apply at this office. [Jy 6, 31

TO LET—That Two-story House, situated on Pownall Street, containing thirteen rooms, kitchen, &c., at present occupied by Robert Young, Esq. Possession 1st of August next. Apply by letter to Mrs. John Welsh, Pownall, Lot 49. [Jy 8 31, fr tu fr pd

WANTED—A STEADY MAN to take charge on horse and work in a garden. WILLIAM DODD. [Jy 6